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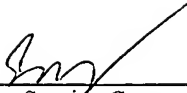
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Sir:

In response to the enclosed Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated August 13, 2004 (copy attached hereto), Applicant submits herewith a Substitute Specification in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.52, 1.121(b)(3), and 1.125. Acknowledgment of receipt is respectfully requested.

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